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MISSOULA--

The new addition to the University of Montana School of Law will be dedicated June 8-9, announced acting law school dean Margery H. Brown. The dedication ceremonies will feature remarks by several distinguished Montana judges. All Montana attorneys, law school alumni, and friends of the law school are invited to attend.

The new addition was recently completed with private monies raised by a fund drive and a grant from the Economic Development Administration. The new structure, built in response to a report by an accreditation team of the American Bar Association, includes an expansion of the Law Library and library work areas, additional faculty office space, seminar rooms, research carrels for use by practicing attorneys, and a clinical training wing, which houses the Montana Criminal Law Information Research Center (MONTCLIRC) and the Montana Defender Project.

The Hon. Russell E. Smith, U. S. Senior District Judge, will be the featured speaker at a dedication dinner on Friday, June 8, at 7 p.m. in the University Center Ballroom on the UM campus. Acting Dean Brown and Dean Emeritus Robert E. Sullivan will make introductory remarks at the no-host banquet. A pre-banquet reception will be held from 5:30-7 at the home of UM President and Mrs. Richard C. Bowers.

The new wing will be formally dedicated on Saturday, June 9, beginning at 10 a.m. with a procession to the Law School Library, led by Marshal Donald E. Habbe, academic vice president of the University. Following the invocation by the Most Rev. Elden F. Curtiss, bishop of the Diocese of Helena, and welcoming remarks by President Bowers, honored guests will greet the dedication audience. Gov. Thomas L. Judge, the Hon. James F. Battin, Chief Judge, U. S. District Court, District of Montana, and the

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Hon. John T. Sheehy, Justice of the Supreme Court of Montana, head the list of greeters.

Others extending greetings will be Ted James, chairman of the Montana Board of Regents of Higher Education; Prof. Eugene F. Scoles, president of the Association of American Law Schools; Kendrick Smith, American Bar Association Board of Governors; David R. Mason, Dixon Professor of Law Emeritus; L. Morris Ormseth, president-elect of the State Bar of Montana; and Kevin T. Sweeney, president of the Montana Student Bar Association.

The Hon. William J. Jameson, U. S. Senior District Judge, will deliver the keynote address to dedicate the new addition. The Walter L. Pope Memorial Library, which will serve as a repository for memorabilia of distinguished Montana judges, will be dedicated by the Hon. James R. Browning, Chief Judge of the U. S. Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals. The Hon. W. D. Murray, U. S. Senior District Judge, will dedicate the Callaway-Pray Memorial Room, which depicts a turn-of-the-century law office.

The dedication ceremonies will close with a benediction by the Rt. Rev. Jackson E. Gilliam, Episcopal bishop of Montana.

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